

### In the Claims

Please amend claim 1, and add claims 50-52 as follows:

1. **(Amended)** A connection module comprising: a housing including a front and two mounting flanges, a rear of the housing spaced from the front, a top spaced apart from a bottom, the top and the bottom positioned adjacent to the mounting flanges, and opposed spaced apart sides; a plurality of connection locations having exposed openings along the front; the bottom, the rear, and the opposed sides defining a cable notch region wherein the cable notch region defines an opening for receiving a first cable; and a cable clamp mounted on and extending from the rear in the cable notch region.

50. **(New)** A connection module comprising:

a housing including a front and two mounting flanges, a rear of the housing spaced from the front, a top spaced apart from a bottom, the top and the bottom positioned adjacent to the mounting flanges, and opposed spaced apart sides; a plurality of connection locations having exposed openings along the front; the bottom, the rear, and the opposed sides defining a cable notch region wherein the cable notch region defines an opening for receiving a first cable; and a cable clamp extending from the rear in the cable notch region;

wherein the connection locations include a plurality of adapters configured and arranged for connection to an optical fiber connector, the adapters positioned at an angle having a component angle in the direction of the bottom of the housing.

51. **(New)** The connection module of claim 50, further comprising clips which are snap fit to the front of the housing, the clips each holding at least one adapter.

52. **(New)** A connection module comprising: a housing having a housing interior defined by a front spaced apart from a rear, a top spaced apart from a bottom, and opposed sides; a plurality of connection locations having exposed openings along the front; the bottom, the rear, and the opposed sides defining a cable notch region wherein

the cable notch region defines an opening for receiving a first cable; and a cable clamp mounted outside of the housing interior in the cable notch region.